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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Burr holing with local anesthesia is a common method for abscess drainage. Moreover, local anesthesia is frequently used for neurosurgical procedure. Nerve block is unnecessary for simple burr-hole surgery even if the patients are young. If the risk is high, general anesthesia must be chosen rather than local anesthesia when cardiac function is poor. I don't think this article to be published in World Journal of Clinical Cases.

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Dear Author, I think your case can be helpfull for senior anesthesiologist . Hovewer it needs language review. With best wishes.

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A good paper that can be accepted. Paper can be made more interesting and useful if authors address these minor points: i) what are disadvantages of SCALP BLOCK/KETAMINE in performing operation ii) what is prognosis of this uncorrected TOF patient iii) is there ethical dilemma in patient with uncorrected underlying condition?